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To: State Management Team

From: Deputy State Director, Division of Support Services

Subject: Accident Investigation Training DD: 02/28/07

The Montana State Office will sponsor a 2-day Introduction to Accident Investigation course March 14-15, 2007. On Friday morning, March 16, there will be a meeting of Montana/Dakotas collateral duty safety officers to discuss the BLM accident reporting process. The training will be held at the Montana State Office in side A of the main conference room. Course information is attached.

All collateral duty safety officers should plan to attend. This course meets one of the core competency requirements for them. As such, the Montana State Office will fund the cost of the tuition for the collateral duty safety officers. Travel and per diem should be charged to the employee's normal charge codes. Managers, supervisors, safety committee members, and employees from other federal agencies who have an interest in the topic may also attend, but they are responsible for their own registration and tuition.

Individuals planning to attend the accident investigation training and workshop are asked to respond by February 28, 2007, to Karilynn Volk, Safety and Occupational Health Specialist, at 406-896-5190.

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1 Attachment

1-Accident Investigation Training Information (1 p)

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Accident Investigation Training

Name of Course: OSHA 7505 – Introduction to Accident Investigation

Dates and Times: March 14-15, 2007; from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day

Location: Side A Conference Room, Bureau of Land Management,

5001 Southgate Drive, Billings, Montana

Price: Tuition to be paid by MSO for 15 MT/DAKs Safety personnel.

Rocky Mountain Education Center will take separate registrations from others for \$395 per person – payment must be made to the

RMEC before the course begins.

Vendor: OSHA Training Institute, Rocky Mountain Education Center

13300 West Sixth Avenue, Campus Box 41

Lakewood, CO 80228-1255

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Course Description: Introduction to Accident Investigation provides an introduction to

basic accident investigation procedures and describes accident analysis techniques. The goal of this 2-day course is to help participants gain the basic skills necessary to conduct an effective accident investigation at their workplace. The target audience is

the small employer, manager, employee or employee

representative who, as part of a firm's safety and health system, would be involved in conducting accident and/or near miss investigations. Topics include the primary reason for conducting an accident investigation, employer responsibilities related to workplace accident investigation, and a six-step accident investigation procedure. The course is set up as a facilitated,

interactive training session focusing on class discussion and group

activities.

Accommodations: A block of rooms has been reserved for March 13-16, 2007, at the

Hampton Inn, 5110 Southgate Drive, Billings, Montana; 406-248-4949. The block is reserved under "BLM Safety."